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SASKATCHEWAN POPULATION

	January 1	April 1	July 1	October 1
	(' 000)			
1981	970.8	972.7	975.9	979.7
1982	981.9	984.2	987.3	992.3
1983	994.6	997.9	1,001.9	1,005.9
1984	1,008.3	1,011.8	1,015.5	1,019.7
1985	1,021.0	1,022.9	1,025.5	1,027.7
1986	1,027.3	1,027.9	1,029.3	1,029.9
1987	1,029.9	1,031.6	1,032.7	1,031.9
1988	1,029.4	1,028.5	1,028.0	1,025.3
1989	1,021.3	1,020.2	1,019.2	1,015.6
1990	1,010.7	1,009.1	1,007.1	1,003.8
1991	1,002.3	1,002.8	1,002.7	1,000.9
1992	1,001.1	1,002.8	1,004.0	1,002.9
1993	1,003.4	1,005.0	1,006.9	1,007.0
1994	1,007.5	1,008.5	1,009.5	1,010.7
1995	1,011.7	1,012.7	1,014.1	1,015.3
1996	1,016.1	1,017.8	1,019.1	1,019.6
1997	1,018.5	1,017.8	1,018.1	1,017.6
1998	1,017.7	1,017.3	1,017.5	1,017.9
1999	1,017.1	1,015.9	1,014.7	1,012.8
2000	1,011.3	1,009.4	1,007.8	1,006.2
2001	1,003.7	1,001.8	1,000.1	998.8
2002	997.9	996.5	995.5	995.1
2003	994.9	994.8	994.8	

VITAL STATISTICS

	2003p	2nd Quarter 2002	Change (%)	2003p	January - June 2002	Change (%)
Births	3,121	3,144	-0.7	6,153	6,199	-0.7
Deaths	2,229	2,175	2.5	4,666	4,556	2.4
Natural Increase	892	969	-7.9	1,487	1,643	-9.5
Marriages	1,380	1,479	-6.7	1,857	1,958	-5.2

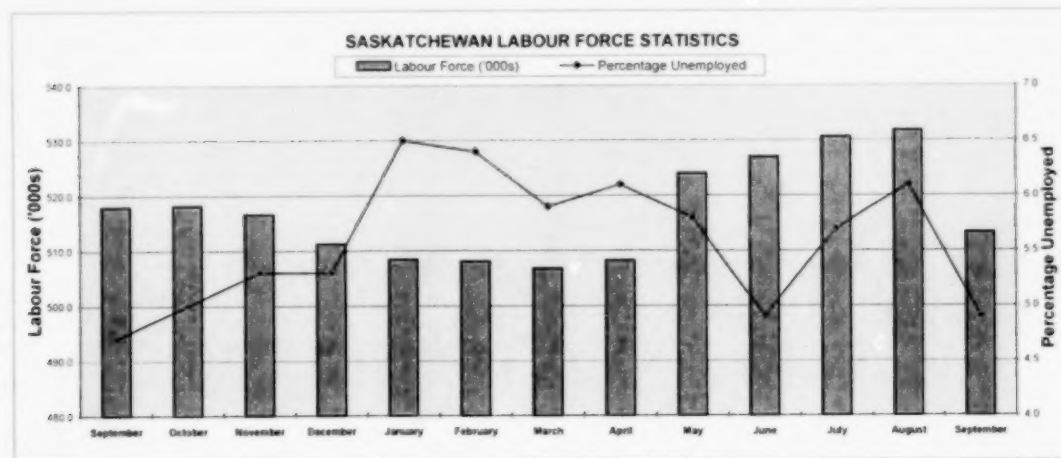
IMMIGRATION NEW CANADIANS

	2003	2002	Change (%)
First Quarter	378	452	-16.4
Second Quarter	417	451	-7.5
	2002	2001	Change (%)
First Quarter	452	400	13.0
Second Quarter	451	391	15.3
Third Quarter	367	557	-34.1
Fourth Quarter	398	361	10.2
Annual Total	1,668	1,709	-2.4

LABOUR FORCE AND RELATED DATA

	Total	Labour Force Employed (' 000)	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate	Participation Rate (%)
Saskatchewan					
2002 September	499.6	474.2	25.4	5.1	65.7
October	494.9	469.9	25.0	5.1	65.1
November	490.4	464.6	25.8	5.3	64.5
December	487.4	459.2	28.2	5.8	64.1
January	490.8	458.7	32.1	6.5	64.5
February	495.3	464.9	30.4	6.1	65.1
March	496.6	465.7	30.9	6.2	65.3
April	497.2	464.3	32.9	6.6	65.4
May	518.0	486.1	31.9	6.2	68.2
June	519.6	494.3	25.3	4.9	68.4
July	523.9	494.2	29.7	5.7	69.0
August	527.3	496.4	30.9	5.9	69.5
September	518.0	493.7	24.3	4.7	68.3
October	518.2	492.2	26.0	5.0	68.3
November	516.6	489.0	27.6	5.3	68.2
December	511.3	484.2	27.1	5.3	67.5
2003 January	508.4	475.5	32.9	6.5	67.1
February	508.1	475.5	32.6	6.4	67.1
March	506.8	477.1	29.7	5.9	67.0
April	508.2	477.2	31.0	6.1	67.2
May	524.1	493.7	30.4	5.8	69.3
June	527.0	501.5	25.6	4.9	69.7
July	530.6	500.3	30.3	5.7	70.2
August	531.8	499.3	32.5	6.1	70.4
September	513.3	488.2	25.1	4.9	67.9

Note: Revised figures based on the 1996 Census.



EMPLOYED PERSONS BY ACTUAL HOURS WORKED

	September 2003			September 2002		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Saskatchewan						
Total (' 000)	488.2	262.5	225.6	493.7	268.5	225.1
1-14 hours	39.9	15.1	24.8	40.5	14.8	25.8
15-29 hours	71.3	22.7	48.6	69.4	23.1	46.3
30 plus hours	342.6	211.1	131.3	348.8	214.4	134.4
Not at work	34.4	13.5	20.9	35.0	16.3	18.7

LABOUR FORCE STATISTICS BY AGE AND SEX

	Total	Male	Female	15-24	25+	15-19	20-24	25-44	45+	65+
Saskatchewan										
Labour Force (' 000)										
September 2003	513.3	276.6	236.7	87.8	425.4	36.9	51.0	229.3	196.2	16.3
August 2003	531.8	286.4	245.4	108.2	423.6	49.2	59.0	231.0	192.6	15.6
September 2002	516.0	282.3	235.7	93.5	424.5	41.5	52.0	234.4	190.1	16.9
Employed (' 000)										
September 2003	488.2	262.5	225.6	78.3	409.9	31.4	46.9	219.6	190.3	16.0
August 2003	499.3	269.2	230.1	97.8	401.6	42.9	54.9	216.8	184.8	15.4
September 2002	493.7	268.5	225.1	84.5	409.2	36.2	48.2	224.6	184.6	16.7
Unemployed (' 000)										
September 2003	25.1	14.0	11.1	9.6	15.5	5.5	4.1	9.7	5.8	0.0
August 2003	32.5	17.1	15.3	10.5	22.0	6.3	4.2	14.2	7.8	0.0
September 2002	24.3	13.8	10.5	9.0	15.3	5.3	3.7	9.8	5.5	0.0
Unemployment Rate (%)										
September 2003	4.9	5.1	4.7	10.9	3.6	14.9	8.0	4.2	3.0	0.0
August 2003	6.1	6.0	6.2	9.7	5.2	12.8	7.1	6.1	4.0	0.0
September 2002	4.7	4.9	4.5	9.6	3.6	12.8	7.1	4.2	2.9	0.0
Participation Rate (%)										
September 2003	67.9	74.2	61.7	63.5	68.9	52.3	75.3	88.7	54.6	12.2
August 2003	70.4	76.9	64.0	78.2	68.6	69.6	87.1	89.2	53.7	11.7
September 2002	68.3	75.5	61.3	66.6	68.7	57.8	75.8	86.8	53.7	12.5

Figures set to 0 (zero) if under 500 persons

EMPLOYED LABOUR FORCE BY INDUSTRY

	2003	September 2002 (' 000)	2001
Saskatchewan			
Agriculture	45.4	55.7	51.4
Manufacturing	27.3	28.6	28.7
Construction	26.6	28.8	27.2
Transportation, Communication and Other Utilities	28.2	29.0	28.5
Trade	77.2	78.5	72.7
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	26.7	28.1	26.5
Service	210.8	203.5	191.7
Public Administration	27.5	25.9	28.5
Other Primary Industries	18.5	15.5	19.3
Total All Industries	488.2	493.7	474.2

Note: Pertains to the week ending January 18, 2002

EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Saskatchewan July 2003p	Regular	Sickness	Maternity	Parental	Training	Other	Jul/03p	Jun/03p	Jul/02r
Total									
Beneficiaries	12,680	1,170	1,760	3,410	180	270	19,470	15,680	18,750
Male	5,760	440	-	250	90	170	6,710	6,810	6,430
Female	6,910	730	1,760	3,160	90	110	12,760	8,880	12,320
Benefits paid during month (\$ ' 000)	11,778	1,164	1,979	3,879	-	304	19,104	21,772	21,906
Number of weeks paid during month	42,600	4,890	6,890	13,580	-	1,800	69,760	77,450	79,160
Average weekly payments during month * (\$)	276.46	238.20	287.12	285.60	-	-	273.87	281.11	276.79

* May exceed maximum weekly benefit due to the inclusion of retroactive payments.

SASKATCHEWAN EMPLOYMENT EARNINGS AND HOURS

	All Employees				Salaried Employees			
	Number of Employees ('000)		Avg. Weekly Earnings* (\$)		Avg. Standard Work Week** (hours)		Avg. Hourly Earnings* (\$)	
	Jul 2003p	Jun 2003r	Jul 2003p	Jun 2003r	Jul 2003p	Jun 2003r	Jul 2003p	Jun 2003r
Goods producing industries	65.3	64.2	639.13	639.11	38.7	38.9	26.43	25.87
Forestry	1.8	1.7	723.87	690.48	36.2	37.6	22.35	21.39
Mining and oil and gas extraction	10.2	9.8	1128.36	1060.52	40.7	40.9	32.84	30.32
Construction	19.5	19.1	756.98	774.05	37.8	37.8	20.80	21.78
Engineering construction	4.8	4.6	861.92	897.97	38.0	38.4	26.43	26.47
Manufacturing	29.3	29.0	760.13	777.89	38.3	38.7	24.47	24.47
Non-durable goods	13.8	13.8	733.46	727.70	38.1	38.4	24.36	23.96
Food	7.6	7.7	674.13	683.31	37.5	38.1	22.07	21.41
Printing & related support activities	1.1	1.1	788.19	756.73	38.7	38.7	24.06	24.88
Durable goods	15.5	15.2	783.96	823.53	38.4	39.1	24.58	24.99
Machinery	4.4	4.4	773.41	831.72	37.2	39.1	24.98	25.52
Agriculture, construction and mining machinery	3.0	3.0	719.52	802.13	38.7	39.0	24.16	25.13
Service producing industries	326.9	337.9	577.38	584.37	37.6	37.6	21.07	21.16
Trade	71.6	71.3	490.66	488.54	38.8	38.8	20.55	21.04
Wholesale trade	18.1	18.3	713.39	717.89	38.8	38.9	23.35	23.46
Retail trade	53.5	53.0	415.27	409.16	38.9	38.7	17.99	18.58
Automobile dealers	4.4	4.2	832.71	856.74	39.8	41.1	25.66	25.01
Gasoline service stations	4.8	4.9	296.33	294.09	35.4	35.3	14.27	14.60
Transportation & warehousing	20.5	21.1	759.55	756.95	40.1	40.4	21.75	20.19
Finance and insurance	19.1	18.9	803.18	815.58	35.9	36.4	23.72	23.80
Real estate, rental & leasing	6.8	6.9	647.33	651.48	38.1	37.6	21.36	21.04
Administrative, support, waste management & remediation service	10.0	9.9	420.28	425.71	37.2	38.0	16.36	16.58
Educational services	25.1	36.8	753.92	734.74	39.3	38.4	20.24	20.42
Elementary & secondary schools	13.0	23.7	790.93	758.58	41.6	40.4	23.36	23.91
Health care & social assistance	57.7	56.4	568.04	572.73	34.0	34.3	19.90	19.87
General medical & surgical hospitals	15.8	15.4	644.36	657.64	36.5	33.8	21.59	23.30
Nursing & residential care facilities	16.2	15.9	528.43	520.68	31.8	31.8	21.32	21.93
Accommodation & food services	33.2	33.2	266.72	267.16	40.6	40.6	12.93	14.24
Food services & drinking places	24.7	24.2	254.48	253.32	43.8	44.5	12.12	13.55
Public Administration	31.6	31.8	766.95	773.34	37.1	37.3	23.98	23.76
Industrial Aggregate	392.3	402.1	620.96	625.05	37.8	37.8	21.70	21.68

* including overtime

** excluding overtime

Industrial Aggregate = sum of all industries - with the exception of agriculture, fishing and trapping, private household services, religious organizations and military services.

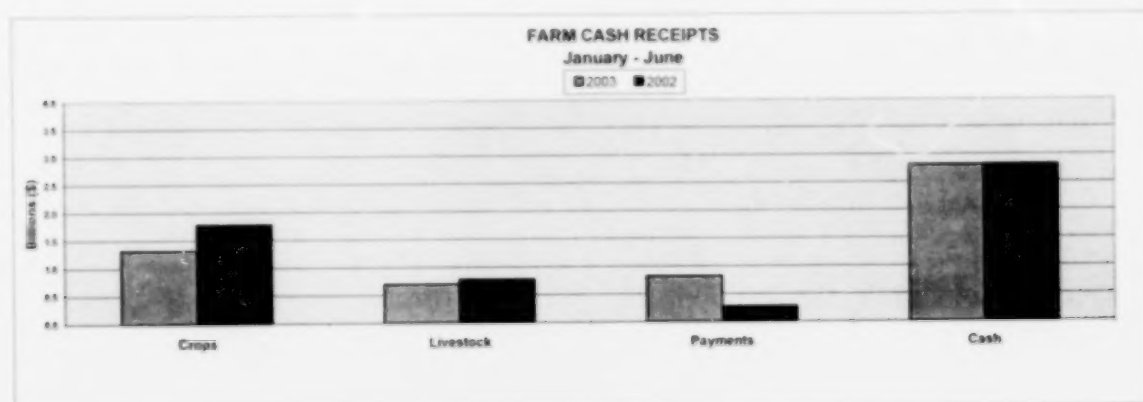
Note: Data based on the 1997 NAICS.

SASKATCHEWAN FARM CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARMING OPERATIONS

	2003	January - June 2002	Change (%)
	(\$ '000)		
Wheat, excluding durum	259,719	312,316	-16.8
Wheat, excluding durum - CWB payments/1	29,429	68,176	-56.8
Durum	174,096	197,080	-11.7
Durum - CWB payments/1	18,341	47,736	-61.6
Oats	35,957	45,846	-21.6
Oats, CWB payments/1	-	-	-
Barley	47,359	100,966	-53.1
Barley, CWB payments/1	2,113	13,620	-84.5
Deferred grain receipts	-93,521	-60,829	53.7
Liquidation of deferred grain receipts	310,942	449,085	-30.8
Rye	248	1,348	-81.6
Flaxseed	43,060	53,191	-19.0
Canola - Rapeseed	230,226	244,031	-5.7
Potatoes	41,202	31,390	31.3
Floriculture and nursery	14,611	17,093	-14.5
Forest products	2,121	2,270	-6.6
Other crops	193,311	250,339	-22.8
Total crops	1,309,224	1,773,678	-26.2
Cattle	323,653	443,501	-27.0
Calves	87,693	72,013	21.8
Hogs	125,642	111,269	12.9
Sheep and lambs	5,307	4,158	27.6
Dairy Products	63,152	59,068	6.9
Poultry	27,818	27,030	2.9
Eggs	10,316	10,780	-4.3
Other livestock	41,887	43,195	-3.0
Total livestock and products	685,468	771,014	-11.1
NISA Payments	133,346	90,755	46.9
Crop and hail insurance payments/2	603,256	117,267	---
Income Disaster Assistance	52,084	55,876	-6.8
Dairy Subsidy	-	174	---
Other payments	21,565	1,151	---
Total direct payments	810,251	265,223	---
Total cash receipts	2,804,943	2,809,915	-0.2

1 Represents payments made by the Canadian Wheat Board direct to producers.

2 Crop insurance payments include payments under the Crop Insurance Act as well as private hail insurance plans.



SASKATCHEWAN LIVESTOCK MARKETINGS

	2003	July 2002	Change (%)	2003	January - July 2002	Change (%)
Feeder Cattle Exports						
Steers	5 000	12 920	-61.3	186 180	226 140	-17.7
Heifers	700	11 250	-93.8	149 480	186 940	-20.0
Cows	-	460	---	2 300	3 410	-32.6
Bulls	-	130	---	410	1 100	-62.7
Total Feeder Cattle Exports	5 700	24 760	-77.0	338 330	417 590	-19.0
Feeder Cattle to Saskatchewan						
Steers	220	2 740	-92.0	118 870	57 790	---
Heifers	150	2 480	-94.0	107 990	66 690	61.9
Cows	-	1 450	---	7 530	9 520	-20.9
Bulls	10	350	-97.1	1 490	1 750	-14.9
Total Feeder Cattle to Saskatchewan	380	7 020	-94.6	235 880	135 750	73.8
Total Feeder Cattle Marketed	6 080	31 780	-80.9	574 210	553 340	3.8
Slaughter Cattle Exports						
Steers	8 320	8 250	0.8	32 540	38 670	-15.9
Heifers	1 540	2 770	-44.4	10 780	13 080	-17.6
Cows	350	9 180	-96.2	22 240	45 170	-50.8
Bulls	60	2 630	-97.7	5 910	12 530	-52.8
Calves	-	50	---	110	380	-69.4
Total Slaughter Cattle Exports	10 270	22 880	-55.1	71 560	109 790	-34.8
Slaughter Cattle to Saskatchewan						
Steers	3 910	5 000	-21.8	22 850	31 460	-27.4
Heifers	1 670	2 280	-26.8	13 470	14 800	-9.0
Cows	2 920	5 410	-46.0	46 010	50 910	-9.6
Bulls	330	680	-51.5	4 220	3 450	22.3
Calves	-	-	---	-	10	---
Total Slaughter Cattle to Saskatchewan	8 830	13 370	-34.0	86 550	100 630	-14.0
Total Slaughter Cattle Marketed	19 100	36 230	-47.3	158 110	210 420	-24.9
Total Cattle Marketed	25 180	68 010	-63.0	732 320	763 760	-4.1
Sheep and lambs	-	1 629	---	5 541	7 329	-24.4
Hogs Saskatchewan Origin of Slaughter	92 738	99 816	-7.1	778 636	817 053	-4.7

SASKATCHEWAN AVERAGE PRICE OF SLAUGHTER AND FEEDER CATTLE

	2003 \$/ 100 lbs	July 2002	Change (%)
Slaughter Cattle			
A Steers, Liveweight	34.03	68.48	-61.5
A Heifers, Liveweight	-	87.81	-
Cows D1, 2	-	53.74	-
Feeder Cattle			
Steers 700-800 lbs	-	108.46	-
Steers 600-700 lbs	-	114.38	-
Steers 500-600 lbs	-	120.20	-

SASKATCHEWAN FARMERS' MARKETING OF GRAIN AT PRIMARY ELEVATORS

	Wheat	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Peas	Flax seed	Canola	Corn	Total
	(' 000) of tonnes								
Period August 31, 2003 to September 28, 2003	562.4	255.0	55.6	225.3	50.0	50.7	324.3	0.0	1 523.3
Same period last year	391.7	223.4	31.6	174.6	41.5	26.4	224.5	0.0	1 113.7
Crop year to date	846.0	423.1	66.8	293.6	96.2	57.0	409.6	0.0	2 192.5
Same period last year	471.2	308.3	35.2	247.3	55.4	43.0	314.4	0.0	1 474.8

EGG PRODUCTION AND DISPOSITION

	2003	August 2002	Change (%)	2003	January - August 2002	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Production						
Average number of layers ('000)	1 121	1 055	6.3	8 672	8 434	2.8
Eggs per 100 layers	2 128	2 190	-2.8			
Egg production ('000 dozen)	1 988	1 926	3.2	15 209	15 259	-0.3
Disposition						
Sold for consumption						
Quantity ('000 dozen)	1 712	1 720	-0.5	13 109	13 593	-3.6
Value (\$'000)	1 963	1 968	-0.3	14 554	14 795	-1.6
Farm price (cent per dozen)	114.7	114.4	0.3	111.0	108.8	2.0
Used by producers						
Quantity ('000 dozen)	37	37	-	296	296	-
Value (\$'000)	55	57	-3.5	433	438	-1.1

BANKRUPTCY BY INDUSTRY

	2003	July 2002	Change (%)	2003	January - July 2002	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Agriculture and related service	4	4	0.0	43	36	19.4
Logging and forestry	-	-	---	-	2	---
Mining, quarrying and oil wells	-	-	---	3	4	-25.0
Manufacturing	1	1	0.0	15	15	0.0
Construction	3	7	-57.1	44	31	41.9
Transportation and storage	8	1	---	28	22	27.3
Communication & other utilities	1	1	0.0	5	6	-16.7
Wholesale trade	-	-	---	12	4	---
Retail trade	2	4	-50.0	29	36	-19.4
Finance and insurance	1	-	---	2	-	---
Real estate operators and insurance agents	-	-	---	1	-	---
Business service	-	1	---	7	6	16.7
Health and social service	3	-	---	4	2	---
Accommodation food and beverage	4	1	---	27	29	-6.9
Other service	1	2	-50.0	29	25	16.0
Total Industries	28	22	27.3	249	218	14.2
Bankruptcy by consumer	189	181	4.4	1 274	1 231	3.5
Canada						
Bankruptcy by industry	701	701	0.0	5 392	5 856	-7.9
Bankruptcy by consumer	6 967	6 263	11.2	49 747	45 888	8.4

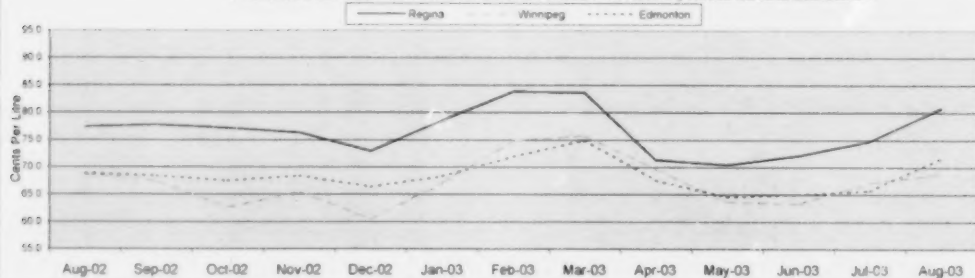
RETAIL SALES BY TRADE GROUP

	2003p	July 2002r	Change		2003p	January - July 2002r	Change
	\$ Millions		(%)		\$ Millions		(%)
Saskatchewan							
Supermarkets and grocery stores	192.9	187.0	3.2		1,274.9	1,218.9	4.6
All other food stores	5.1	4.9	3.9		38.0	40.1	-5.2
Drugs and patent medicine stores	37.9	32.1	17.9		260.7	228.1	14.3
Shoe stores	2.2	2.1	5.3		16.0	14.9	7.3
Men's clothing stores	1.8	2.1	-12.2		14.2	15.4	-7.2
Women's clothing stores	7.7	9.4	-17.7		58.1	60.5	-4.0
Other clothing stores	14.0	13.4	4.9		101.1	91.4	10.6
Household furniture & appliances	24.6	22.8	7.6		160.8	155.5	3.4
Household furnishings stores	7.2	7.1	1.1		51.4	42.6	20.6
Recreational & motor vehicle dealers	237.0	230.3	2.9		1,466.8	1,440.2	1.9
Gasoline service stations	74.9	73.2	2.3		479.1	421.6	13.6
Auto parts, accessories & services	56.1	51.7	8.5		342.0	304.6	12.3
General merchandise stores	94.1	94.0	0.1		620.2	615.2	0.8
Other semi-durable goods stores	18.6	18.7	-0.4		114.6	112.3	2.1
Other durable goods stores	15.7	15.8	-0.2		104.0	100.1	4.0
Other retail stores	30.6	30.4	0.7		174.2	171.0	1.9
Total all stores	820.4	794.9	3.2		5,276.2	5,032.2	4.8
Canada							
Total retail trade	27,933.8	26,601.1	5.0		182,528.1	172,196.9	6.0

AVERAGE RETAIL PRICE OF REGULAR UNLEADED GASOLINE

	Full Service Stations			Self-Serve Stations		
	August 2003	July 2003	August 2002	August 2003	July 2003	August 2002
	cents per litre					
St. John's	84.5	82.3	82.3	81.4	79.3	79.3
Charlottetown - Summerside	72.9	70.6	72.6	70.9	68.8	70.8
Sydney	84.0	77.7	81.9	80.8	73.8	79.2
Halifax	84.9	79.5	80.3	81.6	76.4	77.9
Moncton	85.4	78.4	80.0	82.4	75.0	76.9
Chicoutimi	77.0	75.0	75.8	77.2	74.4	75.4
Quebec City	82.7	75.9	75.9	82.7	75.2	75.4
Trois Rivières	78.9	74.4	74.7	78.4	73.9	74.8
Montreal	81.2	76.3	76.7	80.0	74.4	75.3
Ottawa	77.1	69.8	70.7	75.5	68.3	68.7
Toronto	76.1	68.2	71.5	75.9	65.8	70.3
London	76.6	68.9	73.5	76.4	65.7	71.0
Windsor	74.4	70.2	75.4	74.1	68.6	70.4
Sudbury	78.9	73.5	73.1	76.7	71.7	71.3
Thunder Bay	81.1	76.9	77.8	80.3	75.0	74.7
Winnipeg	69.3	67.4	69.4	68.8	67.2	68.7
Regina	81.2	76.0	78.1	80.7	74.7	77.3
Saskatoon	80.9	75.1	78.4	80.9	74.4	77.7
Edmonton	72.2	68.0	70.8	71.7	65.7	68.8
Calgary	72.0	65.5	72.0	69.9	64.1	71.2
Prince George	83.5	78.4	76.4	82.9	77.9	75.9
Vancouver	86.6	75.4	76.0	84.1	73.4	74.0
Victoria	86.4	81.3	79.0	86.2	79.9	77.9

AVERAGE SELF SERVICE RETAIL GASOLINE PRICES FOR REGINA, WINNIPEG AND EDMONTON



NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES

	2003	July 2002	Change (%)	2003	January - July 2002	Change (%)
	Number					
Passenger Cars:						
Manufactured in North America	1,255	1,261	-0.5	7,528	7,818	-3.7
Manufactured in Japan	138	157	-12.1	910	983	-7.4
Manufactured in other countries	138	135	2.2	985	942	4.6
Commercial Vehicles:						
Manufactured in North America	2,215	1,701	30.2	13,098	13,260	-1.2
Manufactured Overseas	222	146	52.1	1,191	960	24.1
Total	3,968	3,400	16.7	23,712	23,963	-1.0

HOUSING STATISTICS

	2003	2nd Quarter 2002	Change (%)	2003	January - June 2002	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Dwelling starts	1,065	760	40.1	1,641	1,145	43.3
Dwelling completions	843	624	35.1	1,383	1,057	30.8
Dwellings under construction, end of period	1,909	1,289	48.1			
Dwelling Starts						
Saskatchewan/1	735	579	26.9	1,207	905	33.4
Estevan	7	3	---	8	3	---
Lloydminster/2	1	9	-88.9	6	11	-45.5
Moose Jaw	10	9	11.1	14	10	40.0
North Battleford	4	5	-20.0	4	5	-20.0
Prince Albert	39	30	30.0	48	30	60.0
Regina Metro	195	186	4.8	431	288	49.7
Saskatoon Metro	540	315	71.4	776	539	44.0
Swift Current	11	4	---	35	5	---
Yorkton	9	18	-50.0	10	19	-47.4
Dwelling Completions						
Saskatchewan/1	629	478	31.6	1,006	734	37.1
Estevan	3	3	0.0	3	4	-25.0
Lloydminster/2	4	3	33.3	14	8	75.0
Moose Jaw	9	3	---	16	8	---
North Battleford	1	2	-50.0	3	6	-50.0
Prince Albert	21	10	---	41	30	36.7
Regina Metro	137	198	-30.8	292	275	6.2
Saskatoon Metro	492	205	---	714	384	85.9
Swift Current	5	3	66.7	7	7	0.0
Yorkton	9	51	-82.4	20	67	-70.1
Dwellings under Construction						
Saskatchewan/1	1,479	988	49.7			
Estevan	6	2	---			
Lloydminster/2	4	8	-50.0			
Moose Jaw	8	8	0.0			
North Battleford	3	5	-40.0			
Prince Albert	37	31	19.4			
Regina Metro	529	343	54.2			
Saskatoon Metro	950	560	69.6			
Swift Current	30	6	---			
Yorkton	7	25	-72.0			
	2003	August 2002	Change (%)	2003	January - August 2002	Change (%)
Dwelling Starts						
Regina Metro	63	35	80.0	584	390	49.7
Saskatoon Metro	166	152	9.2	1,065	824	29.2
Dwelling Completions						
Regina Metro	76	31	---	445	339	31.3
Saskatoon Metro	108	65	66.2	937	634	47.8
Dwellings under Construction						
Regina Metro	528	381	38.6			
Saskatoon Metro	1,016	595	70.8			

1. Centres of 10,000 population and over

VALUE OF BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED FOR CONSTRUCTION

	Residential	Industrial	Commercial (\$ ' 000)	Institutional & Government	Total
August, 2003					
Saskatchewan **	39,296	2,378	39,332	11,154	92,160
Estevan	126	-	-	16	142
Weyburn	118	-	2,000	18	2,136
Regina	10,453	-	19,415	8,355	38,223
Moose Jaw	1,054	103	430	197	1,784
Swift Current	170	-	-	-	170
Saskatoon	15,370	849	6,110	904	23,233
Humboldt	80	-	-	-	80
Melville	76	-	497	-	573
Yorkton	327	-	21	350	698
Melfort	84	485	-	-	569
North Battleford	411	-	20	148	579
Prince Albert	613	657	7,750	-	9,020
Lloydminster *	2,191	-	200	-	2,391
August, 2002					
Saskatchewan **	30,463	1,381	17,550	6,468	55,862
Estevan	210	40	1,768	-	2,018
Weyburn	564	-	27	-	591
Regina	5,857	73	2,733	1,237	9,900
Moose Jaw	557	-	258	28	843
Swift Current	317	-	29	100	446
Saskatoon	11,571	108	8,891	1,376	21,946
Humboldt	198	-	-	-	198
Melville	12	-	-	-	12
Yorkton	534	-	19	-	553
Melfort	65	-	-	443	508
North Battleford	32	-	12	719	763
Prince Albert	1,152	937	2,340	2,100	6,529
Lloydminster *	2,847	-	136	-	2,983
January - August, 2003					
Saskatchewan **	255,792	19,777	154,891	109,459	539,919
Estevan	2,908	60	2,101	76	5,145
Weyburn	1,161	200	8,685	18	10,064
Regina	66,936	9	62,835	50,252	180,032
Moose Jaw	6,244	283	11,306	232	18,065
Swift Current	2,690	3	536	51	3,280
Saskatoon	90,559	6,156	34,617	18,233	149,565
Humboldt	1,005	80	806	559	2,450
Melville	647	-	1,842	-	2,489
Yorkton	2,138	22	2,084	771	5,015
Melfort	526	485	1,075	-	2,086
North Battleford	1,255	133	1,670	748	3,806
Prince Albert	5,651	657	12,241	12,269	30,818
Lloydminster *	14,051	1,194	8,212	295	23,752
January - August, 2002					
Saskatchewan **	192,164	22,509	136,952	117,181	468,806
Estevan	1,373	119	2,822	10,388	14,702
Weyburn	2,967	-	638	4	3,609
Regina	39,074	1,399	38,102	4,570	83,145
Moose Jaw	2,623	306	6,825	292	10,046
Swift Current	1,658	14	188	274	2,134
Saskatoon	69,778	2,921	53,135	60,237	186,071
Humboldt	1,861	21	700	-	2,582
Melville	369	-	25	2	396
Yorkton	4,614	204	700	9,539	15,057
Melfort	618	-	3,096	14,449	18,163
North Battleford	578	254	7,436	1,329	9,597
Prince Albert	5,696	3,689	6,834	2,726	18,945
Lloydminster *	22,126	1,257	2,755	250	26,388

* includes both Alberta and Saskatchewan parts

** does not include Lloydminster

VALUE OF SHIPMENTS OF GOODS MANUFACTURED

	2003p	July 2002r	Change	2003p	January - July 2002r	Change
	(\$ ' 000)		(%)	(\$ ' 000)		(%)
Saskatchewan						
Industry Group:						
Food	155,437	151,190	2.8	1,085,770	1,013,890	7.1
Beverage	6,696	12,896	-48.1	35,131	63,347	-44.5
Wood	45,382	33,752	34.5	283,185	226,748	24.9
Printing & Related Support Activities	9,797	9,307	5.3	62,543	56,728	10.3
Metal fabrication (except machine & transportation equipment industry)	39,741	41,959	-5.3	254,501	240,243	5.9
Machines	41,603	44,404	-6.3	359,855	410,069	-12.2
Electrical Equipment	11,992	18,507	-35.2	81,592	141,770	-42.4
Computer and Electronic	7,992	7,219	10.7	56,623	53,209	6.4
Non-metallic mineral products	14,605	16,388	-10.9	56,502	63,241	-10.7
Chemical & chemical products	24,976	21,471	16.3	486,612	418,676	16.2
N E S	232,823	237,028	-1.8	1,609,384	1,564,123	2.9
Total Value/1	591,044	594,121	-0.5	4,371,698	4,252,044	2.8

1 Total includes the value of shipments for the industries for which individual data must be suppressed to comply with the Statistics Act.

EXPORTS ORIGINATING IN SASKATCHEWAN

	2003	July 2002	Change	2003	January - July 2002	Change
	(\$ ' 000)		(%)	(\$ ' 000)		(%)
Agriculture and Fishing Products	226,200	295,600	-23.5	1,555,400	2,243,100	-30.7
Energy Products	293,300	233,800	25.4	1,929,600	1,436,800	34.3
Forestry Products	42,800	51,900	-17.5	328,000	330,500	-0.8
Industrial Goods	174,600	159,200	9.7	1,604,900	2,000,900	-19.8
Machinery and Equipment	32,300	35,900	-10.0	254,200	279,000	-8.9
Automotive Products	5,500	7,000	-21.4	49,100	57,500	-14.6
Consumer Goods	2,500	3,000	-16.7	18,700	20,800	-10.1
Special Transactions	5,200	5,700	-8.8	65,900	67,000	-1.6
Total Exports	782,400	792,100	-1.2	5,805,800	6,435,600	-9.8

IMPORTS CLEARED IN SASKATCHEWAN

	2003	July 2002	Change	2003	January - July 2002	Change
	(\$ ' 000)		(%)	(\$ ' 000)		(%)
Agriculture and Fishing Products	18,000	20,800	-13.5	170,000	160,400	6.0
Energy Products	4,600	5,400	-14.8	31,800	41,600	-23.6
Forestry Products	1,700	2,300	-26.1	17,600	19,000	-7.4
Industrial Goods	80,200	84,600	-5.2	818,500	776,800	5.4
Machinery and Equipment	132,400	128,200	3.3	1,095,000	1,054,600	3.8
Automotive Products	39,700	43,100	-7.9	296,100	313,600	-5.6
Consumer Goods	20,200	20,000	1.0	153,600	135,300	13.5
Special Transactions	1,500	2,900	-48.3	20,700	23,800	-13.0
Total Imports	298,300	307,300	-2.9	2,603,300	2,525,100	3.1

RESTAURANT, CATERER, AND TAVERN RECEIPTS

	2003p	July 2002r	Change	2003p	January - July 2002r	Change
	(\$ ' 000)		(%)	(\$ ' 000)		(%)
Saskatchewan						
Full Service Restaurants	42,624	45,952	-7.2	270,480	283,852	-4.7
Limited Service Restaurants	26,824	30,009	-10.6	163,223	172,730	-5.5
Caterers	2,423	2,268	6.9	18,148	18,625	-2.6
Taverns	9,551	10,768	-11.3	57,604	61,208	-5.9
Total	81,422	88,995	-8.5	509,454	536,415	-5.0

MINERAL PRODUCTION

WINDFALL PRODUCTION							
	Units of Measure	2003	June 2002	Change (%)	2003	January - June 2002	Change (%)
Saskatchewan							
Crude Oil	' 000 m3	1,959	1,944	0.8	11,888	12,042	-1.3
Natural Gas	' 000, 000 m3	725	676	7.2	4,397	4,132	6.4
		2003p	July 2002	Change (%)	2003p	January - July 2002	Change (%)
Salt	' 000 Tonnes	44	40	8.0	499	439	13.8
Sodium Sulphate	' 000 Tonnes	12	9	35.8	118	118	-0.3
Potash K2O	' 000 Tonnes	321	163	97.1	4,932	4,967	-0.7
Other*	' 000,000 Kgs	933	971	-4.0	6,588	6,701	-1.7

* Includes Potassium Sulphate, Ammonium Sulphate, Bentonite, Coal and Uranium
Gold and Base metal will be included quarterly

TOTAL SALES OF SELECTED PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

	TOTAL SALES OF SELECTED PETROLEUM PRODUCTS					
	July			January - July		
	2003	2002	Change	2003	2002	Change
	Cubic Metres		(%)	Cubic Metres		(%)
Saskatchewan						
Propane & propane mixes	6,345	4,158	52.6	40,546	34,173	18.6
Butane & butane mixes	5,879	4,829	21.7	34,395	48,211	-28.7
Aviation gasoline	1,307	1,932	-32.3	3,968	5,334	-25.6
Motor gasoline	169,751	168,437	0.8	991,737	961,412	3.2
Premium	4,648	4,512	3.0	23,439	26,304	-10.9
Mid grade	1,256	886	41.8	4,196	5,091	-17.6
Regular no-lead	163,847	163,323	0.3	964,102	930,411	3.6
Aviation turbo fuel	5,943	7,726	-23.1	37,026	41,539	-10.9
Kerosene stove oil	68	196	-65.3	5,513	6,640	-17.0
Diesel fuel	134,774	119,029	13.2	858,145	791,539	8.4
Light fuel	52	49	6.1	6,638	7,139	-7.0
Heavy fuel	18,339	11,822	55.1	98,825	82,456	19.9
Asphalt	24,642	30,883	-20.2	65,743	61,699	6.6
Lube oils & grease	4,009	3,183	26.0	39,960	37,462	6.7
Total net sales, all products	372,248	355,489	4.7	2,195,213	2,110,330	4.0

ELECTRIC ENERGY STATISTICS

	4th Quarter			January - December		
	2001	2000	Change	2001	2000	Change
	GWh		(%)	GWh		(%)
Saskatchewan Supply						
Production	4,371	4,504	-3.0	17,216	17,488	-1.6
Inter-regional transfers	475	434	9.6	1,414	1,142	23.8
Total Supply	4,846	4,938	-1.9	18,629	18,630	-0.0
Disposition						
Manufacturing	862	871	-1.0	3,516	3,375	4.2
Mining	984	927	6.2	3,940	3,689	6.8
Pipelines	339	308	10.2	1,361	1,251	8.7
Public Administration	87	86	1.6	334	353	-5.2
Commercial/Institutional	884	1,130	-21.8	3,569	4,003	-10.8
Residential	707	728	-2.9	2,762	2,722	1.5
Agriculture	364	330	10.2	1,386	1,305	6.1
Producer Consumption	620	559	10.8	1,762	1,932	-8.8
Total Disposition	4,846	4,938	-1.9	18,629	18,630	-0.0

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
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	All-items	Food	Shelter	Household Operations & Furnishings	Clothing & Footwear	Trans- portation	Health & Personal Care	Recreation Education & Reading	Tobacco & Alcohol
Saskatchewan									
July, 2002	124.2	118.6	129.5	112.9	108.2	133.3	112.8	127.8	145.5
August	124.4	117.9	129.9	112.7	108.9	134.5	113.4	127.9	145.8
September	125.0	117.7	130.2	112.9	112.4	134.7	113.1	129.5	145.9
October	125.1	117.7	130.8	112.9	113.0	134.6	113.2	128.8	146.7
November	125.6	119.1	130.9	113.2	111.6	136.3	113.0	128.4	147.1
December	125.4	120.8	130.9	113.3	109.7	134.7	113.0	127.9	147.2
January, 2003	125.6	119.7	131.3	113.2	109.3	136.8	113.5	126.9	147.3
February	126.2	120.2	131.5	112.8	108.1	139.2	113.5	128.0	147.8
March	126.7	120.6	132.0	113.0	110.9	140.2	113.0	127.8	148.0
April	126.1	121.0	132.1	113.1	110.9	136.4	113.5	127.0	148.1
May	126.4	122.1	134.4	112.8	107.8	134.8	113.7	127.8	149.8
June	126.3	121.6	134.6	113.2	108.4	134.0	113.1	127.6	151.6
July	126.5	121.3	134.7	113.7	108.9	134.0	113.4	127.9	151.7
August	126.8	120.7	134.6	113.6	108.6	136.2	113.2	128.3	153.6
% change August, 2003 over July, 2003	0.2	-0.5	-0.1	-0.1	-0.3	1.6	-0.2	0.3	1.3
% change August, 2003 over August, 2002	1.9	2.4	3.6	0.8	-0.3	1.3	-0.2	0.3	5.3
Canada									
July, 2002	119.6	120.9	113.2	114.2	105.0	135.4	115.4	128.4	129.5
August	120.1	120.2	114.2	114.3	105.0	137.0	115.6	128.5	129.8
September	120.1	119.2	114.6	113.8	107.3	136.8	115.7	128.7	129.9
October	120.5	118.5	115.8	113.9	107.1	137.9	116.2	127.7	131.2
November	120.8	120.4	115.7	114.0	105.2	139.2	116.2	126.7	131.9
December	120.4	121.2	114.0	114.0	102.3	140.1	116.1	126.0	131.6
January, 2003	121.4	122.3	116.2	113.9	101.6	141.9	116.1	125.4	132.0
February	122.3	122.1	116.7	114.5	103.8	144.1	116.4	127.1	133.5
March	122.8	122.4	117.4	114.5	105.5	144.6	116.1	126.7	133.8
April	121.9	122.4	116.5	114.5	103.8	141.8	116.8	126.3	134.5
May	122.0	122.8	117.1	114.5	103.4	139.8	117.1	127.2	136.2
June	122.1	123.2	117.7	114.5	101.0	139.5	116.8	127.6	136.4
July	122.2	123.2	117.6	114.6	101.6	139.9	116.9	127.9	136.6
August	122.5	122.1	117.7	114.7	101.8	142.4	117.4	128.0	137.1
% change August, 2003 over July, 2003	0.2	-0.9	0.1	0.1	0.2	1.8	0.4	0.1	0.4
% change August, 2003 over August, 2002	2.0	1.6	3.1	0.3	-3.0	3.9	1.6	-0.4	5.6
Regina									
July, 2003	127.4		137.7						
August	127.8		137.6						
% change August, 2003 over July, 2003	0.3		-0.1						
% change August, 2003 over August, 2002	2.0		3.7						
Saskatoon									
July, 2003	125.7		130.1						
August	126.1		130.0						
% change August, 2003 over July, 2003	0.3		-0.1						
% change August, 2003 over August, 2002	1.8		2.9						

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